

## Section 4 Notetaking Study Guide

**Question to Think About** As you read Section 4 in your textbook and take notes, keep this section focus question in mind: **How did Americans move west and how did this intensify the debate over slavery?**

► Use these organizers to record key information from the section. Some information has been filled in to get you started.

Roads and Canals		
Term	What it was	Why it was important
turnpike	A type of privately built toll road	Provided a much-needed way to move people and goods over land
	A road made of sawed-off logs	
		Allowed boats to reach more places
Project	What it was and when it started	Why it was important
	Road running from Cumberland, Maryland, to Vandalia, Illinois; 1811	
Erie Canal		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>started a <u>canal building boom</u></li> <li>allowed goods to be shipped more _____ and cheaply between _____ and Midwest</li> <li>helped make _____ the richest city in the nation</li> </ul>

The Missouri Compromise
<p>In 1820, Senator <u>Henry Clay</u> _____ persuaded Congress to approve the Missouri Compromise. Its provisions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>_____ was admitted as a free state.</li> <li>_____ was admitted as a slave state.</li> <li>_____ north of Missouri's southern border was free of slavery.</li> <li>Southern slave owners gained the right to pursue _____ into free regions.</li> </ol>

Refer to this page to answer the Chapter 11 Focus Question on page 183.